

GETS ACTION ON P. O. PLANS

Committee at Washington Secures Chance for Revision, to Improve.

Plans for the erection of the new postoffice building, which will be constructed at Stanton and Mills streets at a cost of approximately \$200,000, will in all probability be materially changed at the suggestion of the chamber of commerce. Telegrams were received Monday by the chamber of commerce and president John M. Wyatt from A. P. Coles, chairman of the committee in Washington to confer with secretary of war Newton D. Baker, regarding the establishment of a cantonment here.

In his wires Mr. Coles said the committee had conferred with postmaster general A. S. Burleson regarding changing the plans of the new postoffice and that he informed the committee that he would send an inspector to this city at once to confer with postmaster S. A. Shelton.

The present plans for the building are said to be unsatisfactory for many reasons, the principal one of which is that the main floor, as planned, would be lower than the surface of Mills street. The interior of the first floor of the building is entirely inadequate for the volume of business the office handles, in the opinion of the postmaster and the chamber of commerce. When the committee went to Washington, Mr. Wyatt instructed it to confer with Mr. Burleson, after seeing Mr. Baker.

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MORE BONDS OR PAVING STREETS

City Out of Money to Pave Intersections; May Issue \$200,000 Bonds.

Unless new bonds are issued by the city before the first of August paving operations in El Paso are likely to come to an end. Mayor Charles Davis and the aldermen, according to city officials, are contemplating the issuance of \$200,000 worth of paving bonds. It is their intention to issue them within two months. This action will avert any delay in paving.

The money thus secured will be used for the paving of intersections along streets where property owners have already arranged with the paving companies for payment. The old "revolving fund" system of payment, whereby the paving firms looked to the city for the whole price of construction, has been abandoned and the property owners are now contracting directly with the companies. The original "revolving fund" of \$250,000 has been exhausted.

Paving Five Streets. Bituminous pavement is being laid on five streets at present. The work is in various stages of advancement. The streets are Cliff, from North El Paso to Ange; Alamogordo, from North El Paso to the international bridge; Octavia, from Magoffin to the H. & S. A. tracks; Bassett, from Cotton to Delmar. The work on Cliff street will be finished in two or three weeks. The Alamogordo street paving will be completed in a few days. Laying of the base on Stanton street is nearly finished; no surfacing has been laid. The first street job will be finished by the first of July, while the work on Bassett street will be completed by the end of July.

Huaco Street Next. Huaco street and various highways in East El Paso will be paved next. Work on them will begin as soon as the city issues the bonds for paving the intersections in that district. Some property owners in that section feel that there should have been enough in this fund to pay for their intersections when the time comes for paving streets in their localities.

It was explained at the city hall Monday that the money of the original fund for paving intersections had been used where there was greatest need of it; that is, to pave crossings near the center of the city. It is the intention to pave the districts closest to the center of the city first, providing the property owners have signed up for it and leave the outlying districts until later on.

Members of the El Paso Taxpayers' league are reported as contemplating an investigation of the cost of paving in El Paso, with the object of ascertaining how it compares with the cost in other cities. In this connection, the statement of T. G. Kemper, treasurer of the Texas Bituminous company at Dallas, is interesting.

Mr. Kemper arrived in El Paso from Dallas for a brief business and pleasure visit.

"El Paso," he said, "is paying just 43 cents less a square yard for bituminous pavement than Dallas. Here the cost is \$1.44 a yard; in Dallas only \$1.09. Proximity of material here is mainly responsible for the difference. The average cost of paving per yard in east Texas is from \$1.15 to \$2.30. Corpus Christi paid \$2.15 for her last batch of pavement."

AMERICAN AVIATORS USE BOWS AND ARROWS IN TARGET

French Front, May 25. (Correspondence of the A. P.)—Medieval archery with bows and arrows, is one of the favorite sports of the American aviators of the Lafayette squadron during the hours when they are not flying over the German lines in search of German "birds." They vary this sport with periods of target practice with the machine guns they use on their aerial hunting expeditions.

They have been generally extremely successful in their expeditions as proved by the fact that the German victim to their flying and shooting skill.

The American aviators retain their French sky-blue uniforms and the marks of their rank in the French army although the Stars and Stripes have floated over the camp ever since the United States entered the war.

NEW POLICE SYSTEM.

A new system has been put into service at the police station. Whenever a report is made to the police that anything is lost or stolen, or a person is wanted, a report is made of it in duplicate form and sent to every man on post. In this way every man has a description of what or who is wanted in 20 to 30 minutes after it is reported.

REPORT OF C. MAESE

Skeleton Found Near Vinton, Torn By Coyotes, May Be Juarez Man

While walking through an arroyo near the county road at Vinton, Tex., in the upper valley, Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Hardy White, a rancher, discovered the almost fleshless skeleton of a man apparently 25 to 30 years of age, half buried in the sand. Two dogs, which accompanied White from the ranch, first found the body and their baying led their master to the body.

That the man was murdered and robbed is the opinion of coroner A. J. Hall, deputy sheriff J. B. Kilpatrick and John Boone, who were called to the scene and who the skeleton removed to the undertaking parlors of the Kaster company in this city. Who the man was has not yet been learned by the officers, who are making an investigation.

Coroner Believes Man Murdered.

It is the opinion of coroner A. J. Hall that the man was killed about three months ago and killed. There was little flesh on the bones and it was evident that coyotes and other animals had preyed on the remains. The skeleton was sticking through a dark plaid suit of valuable material. The man also wore silk hose and blood stained underwear, which was found near the body. There were no marks on the clothing to show where the man had been shot. His hat and shoes were missing. The man was of medium stature and had several teeth missing.

M. C. Maese Reported Missing.

On March 10, M. C. Maese, of Juarez, a Mexican about 25 years of age, who was employed by A. O. Willingham, an eastern photographer, went to Vinton to collect a bill. After obtaining the money he disappeared and nothing has since been seen or heard of him. Deputy sheriff S. H. Cox, of Canutillo, who examined the skeleton of the man found in the arroyo, stated to a Herald reporter Sunday that he had seen Maese when he was at Vinton and that the skeleton to a certain extent answered the description of the missing man.

Employer Coming Here.

When Maese was last seen he wore a gray suit. Willingham is said to have registered at Hotel Zeiger, where he makes his headquarters when in El Paso. He is expected to return here shortly and will probably be able to identify the handwriting of the deceased if he was Maese. A slip of paper with some writing was found in the deceased's pocket, but it did not contain any names or addresses. A two cent postage stamp was found stuck to his clothing. The hair on the skull of the man was black.

Prize Methodist Story Teller Tonight Wins Yellow Legged Chickens

After a story telling contest this evening in the business men's club of Trinity Methodist church a prize of two yellow legged chickens will be given to the man who tells the best "yarn." The club will hold its monthly banquet in the church dining room and listen to a number of speakers selected by the committee of management and toastmaster A. R. Grambling.

"Competition is expected to be very close," said Rev. P. R. Knickerbocker, "because Methodist churches are the best on the market. The speakers selected are: State senator Claude Rudolph, Judge J. H. Harper, H. P. Hatfield, Dr. J. M. Britton, Cyrus Jones, Judge E. B. McClintock, J. E. Quisil, E. Gordon Perry, Dr. Clyde Campbell, and J. C. Ballard.

Refreshments will be furnished by the women of the church, the proceeds for which will be given to the church funds. The banquet will be given at 7 o'clock.

BULGARIA HAS NO DESIRE TO HAVE GREECE PUNISHED

Sofia, Bulgaria, June 11.—Bulgaria has no intention of trying to carry the war into Greece, according to a statement made by the Bulgarian premier M. Radoslawoff to the Berlin newspapers of Saturday. The premier said:

"In spite of the fact that the entente has forced Greece to remove the envoys of the central powers, the latter cherish only sentiments of friendship for Greece, which has been loyal to its king."

Asked regarding the Bulgarian attitude toward Rumania, he answered: "The Bulgarians only claim territory in which Bulgarian is spoken. The Dobruja belongs to this area, as it was forcibly taken from us by the treaty of Bucharest."

"If the principle of the right of nationalities to determine their allegiance is recognized, the Bulgarian speaking sections of Macedonia and Dobruja will be allotted to Bulgaria."

The minister said the crops both in Bulgaria and Serbia promise to be the best in recent years.

DEATHS AND BURIALS.

MARIA A. MADERO. Maria A. Madero, 11 years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose G. Madero, died at Cloudford Friday evening. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the chapel of the J. J. Kaster company. Interment was in the receiving vault in Concordia cemetery, where the body will rest until preparations can be completed for sending it to Mexico City.

DAVID A. MYERS. David A. Myers, 22 years of age, private, company C, 10th infantry, died at the base hospital Saturday afternoon. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The body will be sent east for interment. The regiment has left here.

IN MEMORIAM

Under this heading accepted for publication at the reading notice rate. We sincerely appreciate and thank our friends and convey our special gratitude to the A. P. of M. for the many kindnesses shown us and the beautiful floral offerings given on the death of our beloved daughter and sister Agnes O'Rourke, Mrs. and Mrs. A. P. O'Rourke, and family.

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Supplanting of Social Evil by Wholesome Diversions Church Subject.

Methods of reducing the social evil and plans for entertainment of the thousands of soldiers who will be sent to El Paso in the new selective service army were discussed before the congregation of the First Presbyterian church Sunday night by speakers who have made a thorough investigation of these matters in El Paso. The speakers were adjutant A. Loney, of the Salvation army; Dr. Paul Gallagher, H. D. Slater and Rev. Charles L. Overstreet, pastor of the church. It was a "recognition service," so named in recognition of the action of mayor Charles Davis and the city council in abolishing the segregated district in South El Paso. In addition to the addresses a special musical program was given.

Overstreet introduced the speakers.

Loney Says "Quit It."

Adj. Loney, who is in the campaign against vice which he has encountered in Salvation army work, said that the city was to "kill it" the social evil was "to kill it" dead.

In Los Angeles, the good women of the W. C. T. U. some time ago invited the city fathers to visit homes outside of the district which had been added as a result of the district, said Adj. Loney. The women furnished a list of private places and showed them what was really going on in the district.

"There is only one way to regulate this evil, only one way of dealing with it and that is to kill it. One day while I was living in California, a rap came to our door and I was a little old girl who had been living over a saloon in the red light district had disappeared. This girl was dead and I was the proprietor of the place and every door was shut against her. We later discovered her recently closed living in a pile of lies which had been built by traps along a railroad track. She had lived there for months and had not bathed or combed her hair in that time. Mrs. Loney took her in and bathed and combed her hair and refused to take her in. So we sent her to the Salvation Army Home."

Return to Clean Life.

"Seven years later I was walking down the streets of that same town when a young woman walked up to me and asked me if I did not remember her. She was the same girl who had been living in the red light district. She had come out of the home, married a prosperous business man and was living a clean and wholesome life. This will prove that the killing of the business and the giving of love to those unfortunate women will do the most to abolish the evil."

Salvation Army Offers Help.

"I am glad to know that mayor Davis and his administration have taken the right step toward abolishing the district in El Paso. Since we issued his order the officers of the Salvation Army have called on over 500 of these unfortunate women at their rooms and homes in the district and have invited them to our home. A year ago when the district was closed, we did the same thing and a small number of women accepted our invitation to the Rescue Home and these women have changed from their evil life."

Today I received a message from my son who said that he had enlisted in the army. I am glad to know that this boy will not encounter temptations while he is in the army which were put before our soldiers before these districts were closed. I am glad that he will not meet with such conditions as existed in El Paso before the mayor closed the district."

Rev. Mr. Overstreet said that when the district was closed one year ago the Salvation Army workers went from door to door in the district and invited the women of the district to enter their Rescue Home. When these invitations were accepted the women were received at the home. He was glad to know that some of them are now leading clean and wholesome lives. He told of the organization of the Good Government league for the purpose of fighting the vice conditions in the city and what the league had accomplished in this fight on the district a year ago.

People Must Back Up Officials.

Dr. Paul Gallagher said the responsibility that the segregated district shall stay out of El Paso forever, rests individually upon the people of the city. If the people at El Paso do not insist on the enforcement of the laws, the closing of the district for all time will not be realized here. The responsibility lies with the people just as much as with the public officials and unless the officials are backed up by public opinion they will be helpless in their efforts to do away with the evil of a segregated district. He announced that he had received a letter from war department officials at Washington saying that if El Paso ever wants to keep a large body of troops here it will be necessary to keep the city clean.

Should Keep District Closed.

"The idea occurs to me, 'Are conditions here too rotten for outsiders and not too rotten for our own people?' Mr. Gallagher. 'You have a lot of fool speculation in the vice fight, but I believe until they prove to us that we must have such an evil we should keep out the segregated district from El Paso. We have the district shut right now and we should keep it that way. I know that the mayor and county attorney W. H. Fryer will do what they can but they need the support of the people. They will give their attention to what the people want.'"

Recreation as a Substitute.

H. D. Slater emphasized the fact that in closing the red light district El Paso had only taken one step toward a solution of the soldier problem.

"Let's be human, and offer these men—our fellow Americans—the true comradeship they seek," said the speaker and the men in the regular army, the national guard, and the selective draft army are all folks just like the rest of us, representing every trade and profession and group and grade in the community and the country. Take them away from the homes and associations, business and social, and they will be affected by loneliness as anybody else would. They work hard, very hard. They work in the army entails long hours of arduous physical and mental labor. They need play, they need definite provision for their leisure time, so that they may not be tempted to waste their time or do evil for lack of something else to do. As a general rule, they desire the best and seek good company and good reading."

"We have given a long trial to the various plans of 'regulating' the red light district, and we have failed. Now let's give the other plan a fair trial. But to give it a fair trial, we must establish on a broad and generous scale, such a place for recreation for men and boys, in the army and out of it. Our responsibility to young men means that we ought to try to make them worth more to themselves and to the nation by reason of having been here with us in El Paso."

Practical Plans Outlined.

"The Y. M. C. A. has shown us how to do it. There must be a real comradeship without imposition. El Paso should establish a great club house in the business center where 5000 men could be entertained at one time in

RECREATION FOR SOLDIERS HERE

What to Do to Occupy the Enlisted Man's Time in El Paso.

All wholesome ways. There should be numerous shower baths. Entertainment features should be almost continuous, and the rooms should be open night and day. Sundays and holidays included.

"The public library should be open all day Sunday and Sunday evening, for withdrawal of books; and the library should have branches in all the soldier camps; readers should be encouraged to take books out on the laws to read in shady places."

"Possibly the church parlors might be used continuously for entertaining the soldiers. Churches are well situated in every part of the city. They are heated for winter, and have plenty of seats and tables. These places might be kept open all day and evening, weekdays and Sundays, and the soldiers encouraged to drop in for rest. Light refreshments could be placed on sale at cost. Reading matter and writing materials should be provided. There could be music, and instrumental concerts. Little entertainments might be given frequently."

"The soldiers dearly love little children, and would be delighted to be invited to the district which has been added as a result of the district, said Adj. Loney. The women furnished a list of private places and showed them what was really going on in the district."

"It is all a matter of organized personal work, rather than a matter of money. It won't take much money, but it will take effort, real work, and faithful performance of regular tasks. And the task is great enough and worthy enough to enlist the sympathy and effort of which El Paso is capable."

ZIEGFELD BACK; LIKES SCENERY

New York Motion Picture Man Sees Cloudford, White Sands, Juarez.

W. K. Ziegfeld, New York theatrical producer and motion picture magnate, who is in El Paso looking for the location for a film city, returned this morning from Cloudford, where, with C. E. Patton, he spent Sunday. Mr. Ziegfeld was much impressed with the location for a film city, returned this morning from Cloudford, where, with C. E. Patton, he spent Sunday. Mr. Ziegfeld was much impressed with the location for a film city, returned this morning from Cloudford, where, with C. E. Patton, he spent Sunday.

"I expect to leave Wednesday," said Mr. Ziegfeld Monday. "By that time it is almost certain I will have made up my mind whether our company will locate here. Thus far the scenery I have seen exceeds all expectations. The white sands and Cloudford, which I saw yesterday, are wonderful. I expect to go to Hueso tanks Tuesday with J. W. Kirkpatrick. If possible I will go to Elephant Butte, but I am expecting telegrams that will call me away by Wednesday."

LOUISIANA OFFICERS COME TO TAKE Z. C. STEWART BACK

Officers from New Iberia, La., arrived Monday to take back with them Z. C. Stewart, who is charged with embezzlement. Stewart, who had been employed for several weeks with a local abstract company, was arrested by city detectives upon information furnished by the New Iberia officers.

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More than 200 Shriners and their wives and women friends on Sunday picnicked at the Gaspar Giron grove, which was made from this city by automobiles. The caravan of machines left shortly before 7 o'clock. Lunch was served among the shady trees of the grove at noon and during the afternoon the Shriners and their wives enjoyed themselves in athletic contests.

One of the amusing incidents of the afternoon was an "electric chair" persons who arrived late were told to sit in the chair and have their pictures taken. The current was then turned on and the crowd roared as the person sitting down jumped to his or her feet.

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SINN FEINERS KILL OFFICIAL

Stone Inspector Who Arrests Count Plunkett and Other Leaders.

Dublin, Ireland, June 11.—Police Inspector Mills was killed last night while preventing the holding of a meeting called to protest against imprisonment of Irish rebels. Several Sinn Feiners were arrested.

Lieut. Gen. Mahon, commander of the British forces in Ireland, had forbidden the holding of the meeting, but in spite of his order 2000 persons gathered opposite Liberty hall. Count Plunkett, member of parliament and Sinn Feiner, who was arrested in connection with the revolt of last year, and other equally defiant members of the Sinn Fein, attended the meeting with the intention of speaking. Count Plunkett, Cathal Brugha, James Kenny, Roddy Kelly and Martin Welch, were arrested.

While he was taking these men to jail, Inspector Mills was struck with a stick or stone and knocked down. He died in a hospital early this morning. His assailant has not been arrested.

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